



Welcome to our **Feelgood Friday** assembly.

Enjoy the music while we wait for the classes to join.

Please mute your microphone while you wait.





# Feel Good Friday Newsletter

25th March  
2022

UNLOCKING  POTENTIAL

LEARNING

OPPORTUNITY

COMMUNITY

PERSONAL  
BEST

LEADERSHIP



## From the Headteacher's Office...



Dear Parents and Carers, **Message from Mrs McGonigle and Mr Fry**

What a speedy week it has been! Spring has most certainly sprung fully and the trees in the playground are filling with blossom and the purple crocus bulbs have started to bloom. I had the privilege of showing several visitors around the school over the past couple of weeks and it was – as always – a real treat to see the creativity and hive of activity in every classroom. Mrs McGonigle and Mrs Hudson have observed most classes to see teaching and learning in Maths and will continue with the rest of the classes next week. This has been so lovely to see the children doing so well, having a love of learning and wonderful positive relationships with the class Teacher's.

We have introduced exciting new resources to support writing, we are working with a company to support early writing in EYFS, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3. Year 1 have been looking for springtime flowers in the school grounds. Year 3 are working on their Greek topic (Athens versus Sparta). Year 4 have been focusing on Law and Order. Next week the local police are coming to visit the children in EYFS and will bring their Police car and the Fire Service will also come to see the children in the setting - I know the children will be very excited about this.

We marked the National Day of Reflection on 23 March and hopefully you found some time to reflect.

We are aware of our social responsibility to our families and the impact that is going to be felt by the increase of the cost of living and would like to do whatever we can to support our families. We give every child a bagel every morning and will look at other ways to help. The Bretton Baptist Church is the local food bank.

We continue to pray for all those families engaged in or threatened by war or conflict anywhere the world and to stop the blood and tears.



### Dates & Events for the Diary

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/13865002> - A link to support pupils.

Have a wonderful weekend and whatever you do, be kind.

Best wishes, Mrs McGonigle and Mr Fry

**Spring Term:** Monday 21 Feb – Friday 1 April

**Return to school:** Tuesday 19 April

**Wednesday 30 March:** Year 4 swimming @ AM

# DO THE RIGHT THING

## SAY YES TO THE VACCINE AND GET A TEST IF YOU HAVE SYMPTOMS OF COVID-19

With Covid still in our communities, we all need to do the right thing to keep rates as low as possible.



❗ **Say yes to the vaccine.**  
**That's both doses.**

Everyone over the age of 18 can now get the jab.

Book online at [www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19](http://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19) or by phoning 119. For walk-in centres and pop up clinics visit [www.thevaccinators.co.uk](http://www.thevaccinators.co.uk)

Remember there must be an eight week gap between your first and second jab.

❗ **Get a test if you have symptoms.**

If you have symptoms of Covid-19 – a high temperature, a new or persistent cough or a loss in sense of taste or smell – **book a test** at [www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test](http://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test) and self-isolate.

❗ **Self-isolate if you are asked to by NHS Test and Trace.**

Lots of support is available for people who need to self-isolate including payments of £500 and help with accessing food and medicine.

For information visit [www.peterborough.gov.uk/selfisolationsupport](http://www.peterborough.gov.uk/selfisolationsupport)

### REMEMBER

- ✓ MEET PEOPLE OUTDOORS OR IN WELL-VENTILATED PLACES IF YOU CAN
- ✓ KEEP A POLITE DISTANCE FROM OTHERS
- ✓ WEAR A MASK IN CROWDED PLACES – OR WHERE YOU CAN'T KEEP A DISTANCE
- ✓ WASH YOUR HANDS WELL AND OFTEN



i For further updates and information check our website which will be regularly updated [www.peterborough.gov.uk/coronavirus](http://www.peterborough.gov.uk/coronavirus)

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Covid has not gone away. If your child has any of these symptoms please do not send them to school and book a PCR test:

A high temperature  
A new continuous cough  
A loss of taste or smell.

PCR Tests can be booked at [www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test](http://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test)

Or by calling 119

**Please visit a testing centre** if you can, rather than getting a postal test.

**Lateral Flow Tests**, the type you can collect from chemists.  
Please ensure you register your test results online

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# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

## PUPIL DETAILS

It is essential that we have up to date records for every child in school, particularly home address, email and mobile phone numbers. If you have moved or changed phone numbers, please call 01733 262696 or email [office@mps.pkat.co.uk](mailto:office@mps.pkat.co.uk)

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## Medication

If your child requires prescribed medication during the school day, you must complete a Medication form.

## Head Injuries

We have introduced a new system for minor head bumps/ injuries. Instead of calling parents, we are contacting parents/ carers via email when a child has a minor bump to the head. This system occurs successfully in other schools and does not expect parents to 'drop everything' to come into school if our qualified First Aiders have assessed them.

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Applying for free school meals is quick and simple to do using the online application form at

[Click Here](#)

## Injuries

(outside of school)

If your child has an injury, such as a broken bone, please do let us know as soon as possible. We will need to put a care plan in place before they return to school.

## Illness/Other Absences

If your child is ill, please **email** or **call** the school office on **01733 262696** and select option 1 to leave a message. The absence line is available 24/7.

Don't Forget!



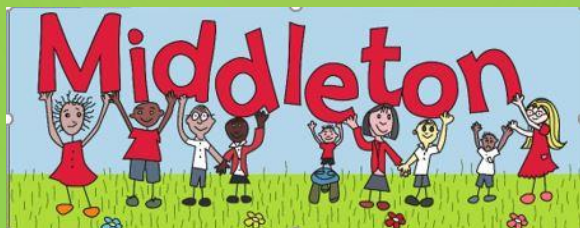
## Healthy snacks & water bottles

Children can bring in a healthy snack to have at break time. This **MUST NOT** be chocolate or nuts – we are a nut free school.

Children **must** bring in a named water bottle.



**NOW OPEN**  
NEW AFTERSCHOOL CLUB  
FOR MIDDLETON CHILDREN



**SIMPLY**  
OUT OF SCHOOL



BRAND  
NEW!

**After School club**

**NOW OPEN**

**Monday – Friday**  
**3:15-5:15pm**

Contracted and 'Ad hoc' Sessions Welcome

After School club operating at South Bretton Family  
and Community Centre for children attending  
Middleton Primary School.



We have a wide range of equipment such as daily craft, dolls, football table, games  
consoles, cars, trains, role play and much more.



**Snack and Refreshments Included**  
(Allergies and Preferences welcome)

Emergency / One off bookings welcome.



Cross Keys Homes are generously funding 50% of the cost per child,  
which has greatly reduced the price for Middleton families.

Prices: Full session - Contract £4.00 'Ad hoc' session £5.00

The maximum capacity is 16 children – book now to avoid disappointment!

For further information regarding registration please contact us  
direct at Simply Out of School.



PETERBOROUGH KEYS  
ACADEMIES TRUST

Emma Matthews – Director

Jodie Ward / Cerys Greenfield – Head Office Managers  
[admin@simplyoutofschool.co.uk](mailto:admin@simplyoutofschool.co.uk) 01656 372910







## Are you still experiencing symptoms after COVID-19?

Approximately 1.3million people in the UK continue to experience symptoms, such as fatigue, muscle weakness and breathlessness, more than 4 weeks after testing positive for COVID-19.

Come along to our new peer support group to learn about the referral process to the Long COVID team, self-care techniques and get support from the other group members. You do not need to have had a diagnosis to access this support.

Open to all. Refreshments are provided.

WEDNESDAYS 10AM TO 11AM SOUTH  
BRETTON CHILD AND FAMILY CENTRE,  
TYESDALE, BRETTON PE3 9XZ  
STARTING 9TH MARCH

FOR INQUIRIES, CONTACT KATY AT

**07751645513**

**[katy.wild@barnardos.org.uk](mailto:katy.wild@barnardos.org.uk)**



**NHS** PRESENTS

**NHS**  
Cambridgeshire and  
Peterborough  
Clinical Commissioning Group

## The **VACCINATORS** on tour

### **SOUTH BRETTON FAMILY & COMMUNITY CENTRE COVID-19 VACCINE WALK-IN CLINIC (12+)**

**14 AND 28 MARCH 2022**

**32 TYESDALE, PETERBOROUGH, PE3 9XZ**



**9.30AM-2.30PM**



**1ST, 2ND (PFIZER) AND 3RD PRIMARY DOSES**

**AND**



**BOOSTERS FOR ELIGIBLE PATIENTS**



**BRING A FACE COVERING**

[thevaccinators.co.uk](http://thevaccinators.co.uk)

**#TheVaccinators**

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# FAMILY EASTER ACTIVITIES



Rutland  
Outdoor  
Education  
Centre



Easter 2022



Why not visit us for one of our family sessions... no age limits - everyone welcome; parents, children, grandparents...!

During your session you will visit our forest & farm school, meeting our Easter Lambs, rabbits & chicks with lots of feeding, cuddles as well as our other farm animals. Then heading down to the Forest School for an Easter Egg hunt and activities such as outdoor cooking on the campfire!

Email [admin@roec.co.uk](mailto:admin@roec.co.uk) for all bookings!



## Session Information:

**Tues 5 - Weds 6 - Thurs  
7 April**

10:00-12:00 (AM)

or

12:30-2:30 (PM)

**Tues 12 - Wednesday 13  
April**

10:00-12:00 (AM)

or

12:30-2:30 (PM)

@ £10 per person - per  
session

(This includes all animal feed,  
equipment & food for outdoor  
cooking for all!)

[www.roec.co.uk](http://www.roec.co.uk)



# WEETABIX WILDCATS FOOTBALL SESSIONS



We're running a number of Weetabix Wildcats sessions every Friday for Girls in Years 2 - 6 at Nene Valley Community Centre!



Every Friday



4:15pm - 5:00pm



Nene Valley  
Community Centre



Girls in Years 2 - 6



FREE to attend



## BOOK NOW

[theposhfoundationcourses.com](http://theposhfoundationcourses.com)

# PL KICKS FREE FOOTBALL SESSIONS



We're running free weekly drop in football sessions, during term time, in partnership with

Premier League Kicks!



Tuesdays // 5pm - 6pm  
Netherton United FC Astro, PE3 6HG

Thursdays // 5pm - 6pm // Years 3 - 7  
Peele Leisure Centre Astro, PE12 9LF

Fridays // 5pm - 6pm  
Nene Valley Community Centre, PE2 9RE

Email [Brad.Easey@theposh.com](mailto:Brad.Easey@theposh.com) for more information!

## BOOK NOW

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# EASTER SPORTS CAMPS

LET US CREATE MAGICAL MEMORIES FOR YOUR CHILDREN

- William Law Primary School, PE4 6DT  
4th - 7th April (9-3pm)
- Fourfields Primary School, PE7 3ZT  
5th - 7th April (9-3pm)
- St John Fisher Catholic High School, PE1 5JN  
4th - 7th April (9-3pm)
- Hampton College Senior School, PE7 8BF  
11th - 14th April (9-3pm)
- Northborough Primary School, PE9 9BN  
11th - 14th April (9.30-3.30pm)
- Sawtry Leisure Centre, PE28 5UY  
12th - 14th April (10-4pm or 9-5pm)

**£15 PER DAY**  
(Sawtry £25 10-A, £30 11-5)  
**BOOK NOW!**

Complete our online booking form at  
[youthdreamsproject.co.uk/half-term](http://youthdreamsproject.co.uk/half-term)

@Youth Dreams Project  
@youthdreamsproject  
07583 688413



# PETERBOROUGH HALF TERM HOLIDAY CAMPS



- Reception - Year 7
- Monday 11th April - Thursday 14th April
- 9am - 3pm
- Nene Valley Community Centre, PE2 9RE
- £20 per child, per day

**BOOK NOW**

[theposhfoundationcourses.com](http://theposhfoundationcourses.com)



# Class Champions EYFS and Lower School

Learning with our head, heart and hands

Martin  
3ET

Taeo  
2KB

Milly-  
May  
3ET

Klay  
Ladybirds

Andrea  
2RT/PO

Antonio  
Owls

Isla  
Butterflies

Natalie  
3OW

Ollie  
2KB

Mitko  
Robins

Alesha  
3OW

Tyler  
Butterflies

Nikolasz  
2RT/PO

Angeliki  
Ladybirds

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# Class Champions Upper School

Learning with our head, heart and hands

Victor  
Y6

Olivia- Rose  
5AH/MS

Sydney  
4CP

Jayden-Lee  
5AH/MS

Krystian  
4NB

Amara  
4CP

Emily  
4NB

Nanma  
Y6

Thia  
Y6

Mason  
S  
Y6

Nicola  
4CP

Summer  
5AH/MS

Scarlett  
5AA

Marks  
4CP

Skyla  
5AA

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# Gymnastics



Holly (Robins) got to bring home Spiral Bear last week for working so hard in her gymnastics class. She is training hard for her first competition in May.



Achievements and success inside AND outside of school.



If your child achieves a 'Personal Best' out of school, please email a photo to [office@mps.pkat.co.uk](mailto:office@mps.pkat.co.uk) so we can share their wonderful achievements on this page every week.

Martial Arts

Lego

Drama

Football

Dance

Horse Riding

Music

Kickboxing



Year 6 were lucky enough to get to play some basketball at Jack Hunt School!



## Sports this week

Mr Fry playing American football with his son in his back garden!  
(Chicago Bears fan!)

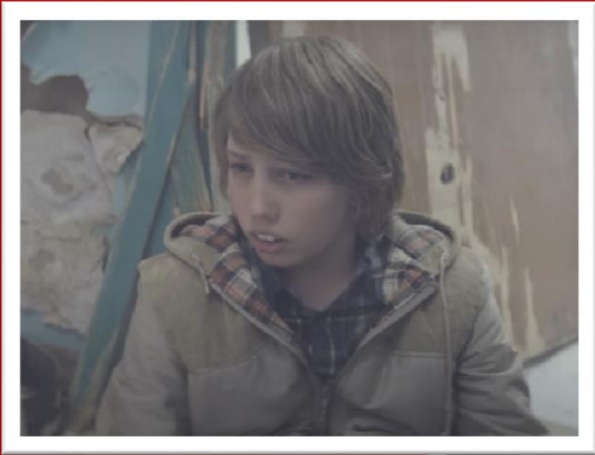


This week the prizes arrived for the daily mile! 2 children from each year group will be awarded a prize for their effort in the daily mile.

**#Healthy  
Selfie**



# Year 5 - Literacy



In SFA, Class 5AA have been reading the book 'The Wreck of the Zanzibar'. We wrote a description of a storm.



In SFA, Class 5MS/AH have been studying film narratives. We wrote the opening paragraph to the Titanium music video and are currently writing a film script after watching Ratatouille.



# Year 5 PSHE

In PSHE, we have been learning about how to stay safe. We've completed lots of activities about drugs, alcohol and discrimination.



# Year 5 PE

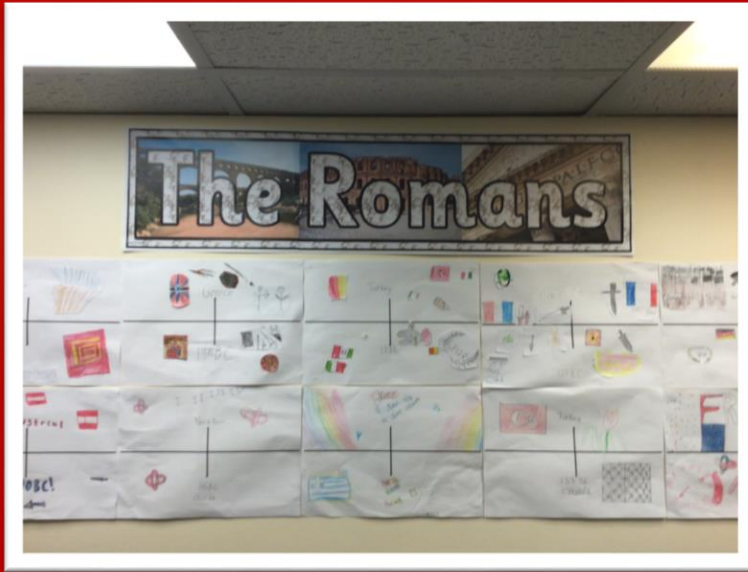


In PE, we have been creating some great dance routines with Mr Nicholls. Next week, we are looking forward to a dance battle.

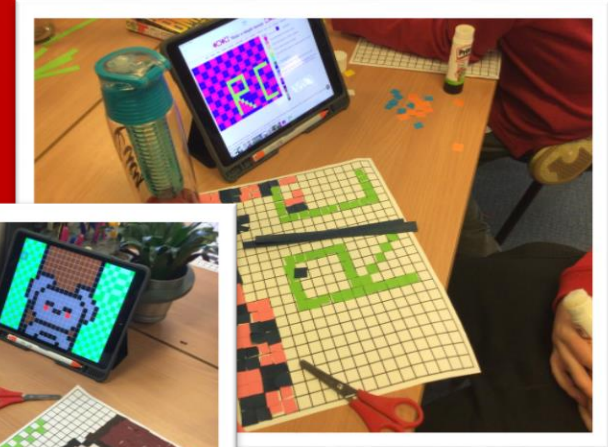


# Year 5 Topic Work You're Not Invited

Year 5 have been studying the Roman Invasions. The children made timelines to cover this period.

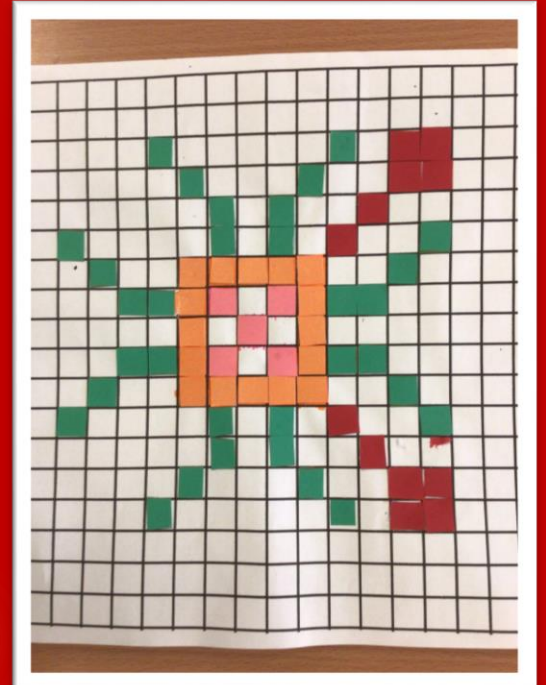


The children designed mosaics on their iPads and then made them into art.





These are some of the finished mosaics.



# Birthdays this week



Happy Birthday from everyone at Middleton!



Everyone  
around the  
world,  
come on!



Celebrate  
everything  
you have  
achieved this  
week.

You are all  
**AMAZING!**



